RIT/NTID Commonly-Used Acronyms and Terms

ASC - RIT Academic Support Center

ASLIE - American Sign Language & Interpreting Education

Artesano's - Bakery and Café in SAU

Beanz - Coffee shop/lounge in Grace Watson Hall Lobby

Better Me - Wellness program through Human Resources

Breezeway - Walkway from Campus Center to Clark Gym

Brick City - Nickname for the RIT campus

CAD - College of Art and Design

CBET - Center for Biotechnology Education & Training

CET - College of Engineering Technology

CHP - Center for Human Performance

CHST - College of Health Sciences & Technology

CIMS - Center for Integrated Manufacturing Studies, or the Louise Slaughter Center for Integrated Manufacturing Study

CLA or COLA - College of Liberal Arts

COS - College of Science

CSD - CSD Student Development Center (a.k.a. "SDC")

CTL - Center for Teaching and Learning

CTRL ALT Deli - Eatery in GCCIS

Cage - Sport equipment loan desks in SLC and CAD

Commons (Dining Commons) - Eatery in CSD/SDC

Corner Store - Convenience Store in Nathaniel Rochester Hall

Crossroads - Café and market in Global Village

Cubes - Metal sculpture at north entrance of LBJ Hall

EYF - Explore Your Future

FSSL - Faculty/Staff Sign Language Program

FYE - NTID's First-Year Experiences Program

Fireside Lounge - Large meeting space in Campus Center

GCCIS - B. Thomas Golisano College of Computing & Information Sciences

GIS - B. Thomas Golisano Institute for Sustainability

Global Village - Housing, dining, and shopping complex on the west side of campus

Gracie's - Eatery in Grace Watson Hall

Grind (The) - Coffee shop in CSD Student Development

HLC - Hugh L. Carey Hall (some NTID offices located here)

ITS - RIT Information Technology Services

Japanese Garden - Tojo Memorial Garden in Eastman Quad

Java Wally's - Coffeehouse in the Wallace Library

KGCOE - Kate Gleason College of Engineering

LBJ - Lyndon Baines Johnson Hall (NTID building)

MAGIC Center - Media, Arts, Games, Interaction,

and Creativity Center

Midnight Oil - Café and lounge in Crossroads building

MSSE - Master of Science Program in Secondary

Education of Students Who Are Deaf or Hard of Hearing

myCourses - RIT's learning management system

NAG - NTID Advisory Group

NCC - NTID Curriculum Committee

NFC - NTID Faculty Congress

NLC - NTID Learning Center

NSLARC - NTID Sign Language Assessment and Resource Center

NTIDPD - Professional Development at NTID

Park Point - Off-campus complex for dining and shopping

Quarter Mile - Outdoor walkway connecting east and west sides of campus

RADSCC - RIT ASL and Deaf Studies Community Center

Red Barn - Indoor rock-climbing gym on west side of

Reporter – RIT's student magazine

RITA - RIT Ambulance Service

RITchie - RIT's tiger mascot

RIT Libraries (formerly Wallace Library) - University library

RITz SportsZone - Cafeteria, game room, and sports

broadcast center in A-level of SAU

RSC - RIT Service Center or RIT Staff Council

SAU - Student Alumni Union

SCB - E. Philip Saunders College of Business

SDC - CSD Student Development Center (a.k.a. "CSD")

SHED - Student Hall for Exploration and Development (SHED)

SIS - Student Information System

SLC - Hale Andrews Student Life Center

SLPI - Sign Language Proficiency Interview

SRS - Service Rating System or RIT Sponsored Research Services

SVP - NTID Summer Vestibule Program

Sentinel - Metal sculpture in Administrative Circle (near Eastman Hall)

SRATE/SmartEvals - University-wide online student rating system

Sol's Underground - Convenience store on A-level of Sol Heumann Hall

Sundial - Sculpture in the Residence Quad

Tiger Bucks - RIT's debit payment system

Tiger Walk - Fall processional of new students and families

TIS - NTID Technology and Information Services

WITR - RIT's radio station, channel 89.7